Rhea Miller Concert Series presents *Ensemble Ouabache*

Concert goers can enjoy baroque music performed by *Ensemble Ouabache* at SVSU as part of the Rhea Miller Concert Series. The group will perform at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 12 in the SVSU Theatre. This performance is open to the public and admission is free of charge.

*Ensemble Ouabache* performs music on period instruments, including baroque violin, baroque cello and harpsichord. Guest Steven Rickards, countertenor, is among today’s most accomplished vocal artists.

Thomas Gerber, harpsichord, teaches at Fairview Music Studios, Indianapolis. A graduate of Hillsdale College, he holds master’s degrees in harpsichord from Indiana University and in piano from Ball State University.

Barbara Kallaur, baroque flute, is professor of music at Indiana University’s School of Music where she teaches baroque flute. In Indianapolis she teaches at Fairview Studios and St. Richard’s School.

Christopher Verrette, baroque violin, recently joined Tafelmusik, Canada’s 18th-century orchestra. His teachers included James Buswell and baroque violinist Stanley Ritchie at Indiana University, where Verrette received his bachelor’s degree.

Ann Marie Morgan, viola da gamba and baroque cello, serves on the Early Music faculties of the Peabody Conservatory, the Interlochen Arts Camp and the Oberlin Baroque Performance Institute.

Rickards is the first countertenor to earn a Master of Music degree in vocal performance from Indiana University in Bloomington, Indiana. He received his artist diploma in 1979. In 1981 Rickards was awarded a Fulbright-Hayes Scholarship and a Rotary International Grant for continued studies at the Guildhall School of Music and Drama in London.

The Rhea Miller Concert Series presents nationally and internationally renowned chamber music artists. For further information on the series, contact the SVSU Department of Music at ext. 4159.
Comedian Joan Rivers to spend an evening at SVSU

Television talk show host, comedian, author, playwright and screenwriter Joan Rivers will appear on stage at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 8 in Cardinal Gym. Rivers perhaps is best known for her catch phrase, "Can we talk?" and for serving as guest host for Johnny Carson on *The Tonight Show.* But just as she reached the pinnacle of her career, events suddenly took a downturn. With her trademark wit, Rivers tells her audiences of her most terrifying moment—and how she survived.

Tickets to the program are $6 for the general public, $5 for SVSU faculty and staff, and $2 for SVSU students. Those who make advance reservations will receive a $1 discount on tickets. Discount TREATSEATS coupons also are available at area Target and Hudsons stores.

For information or to make reservations, contact the Campus Life Center at ext. 4170.

Morley appointed to SVSU position

Kathryn Curtiss Morley has been named director of alumni relations and associate development officer at SVSU, effective October 1.

Morley comes to SVSU from a position as area executive director of the American Cancer Society. She also held positions with Junior Achievement of Saginaw-Bay Area and with the Saginaw County Convention & Visitors Bureau.

"Kathy brings to the position significant experience in development activities as a result of her fundraising work with the American Cancer Society," said Charles Graham, executive director of the SVSU Foundation.

Morley graduated from SVSU in 1982 with a Bachelor of Arts. She also is a graduate of the "Leadership Saginaw" program.

While a student at SVSU, Morley served as a graduate assistant in the University’s Conference Bureau. Following graduation she served a six-year term on the SVSU Alumni Association Board of Directors. She is a licensed financial consultant and was employed with Thomson McKinnon Securities of Saginaw for three years.

SVSU Alumni Association Board elects officers

The 15-member SVSU Alumni Association elected 1996-97 officers at its September 23 meeting. Returning as president is Kevin J. Schultz. Cynthia K. Morley was re-elected vice president, and Jean George will serve another term as secretary.

Schultz, who earned a B.A. degree in 1992, is employed with Heritage Insurance Agency. Morley (B.A. 1980; M.A. 1990) is a probation officer in the Saginaw County Juvenile Court. George, who holds a B.A. degree from SVSU, serves with A&D Health Care Professionals.

Thomas A. Baird was named to the Association’s executive committee. Baird, retired from the U.S. Air Force, is a substitute teacher with the Bay City Public School system. He received a B.A. in 1984.

Re-elected to the executive committee was Christine Pease-Hernandez. Pease, who completed B.A. requirements in 1988, is a counselor at Delta College.

Research scientist to speak at SVSU

Dr. Mark Bernius, research scientist for The Dow Chemical Company, will speak on “The Physics of Organic Semiconductor Devices” at SVSU. The presentation takes place at 4 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 10 in room 143 of the Science Building.

Bernius received a B.S. from Polytech Institute and an M.A. from State University of New York-Stonybrook. He earned a Ph.D. from Cornell University and holds an adjunct faculty position in SVSU’s physics department.

Sponsored by the SVSU Physics Club, Bernius’ lecture is open to the public free of charge. Refreshments will be served. For more information call Albert Menard, professor of physics, at ext. 4134.

USA Today seeking academic stars

*USA Today* is calling for nomination of college students to its 1997 All-USA Academic Team. Criteria are full-time (12 or more credits) undergraduate status, exceptional academic achievement and demonstrated leadership. A key element will be a student’s outstanding original academic or intellectual product. Nominated students must describe this effort in writing, supplemented by recommendations from the nominating professor and others.

Sixty students nation-wide will be chosen for this honor. Faculty or staff who wish to nominate an SVSU student should contact Marilyn Frahm, ext. 4055, for more information and a nominating form. Entries must be postmarked by November 30.
Professional Profile

• Barron Hirsch, professor of art, has a one-person exhibition of his work in the Rankin Fine Arts Center Gallery of Ferris State University through November 1. The exhibition, composed of 22 paintings, will include pieces from the Mexican series as well as works from the new Chicago series that explores images of contemporary urban America. On October 24 at 7 p.m., Hirsch will give a public lecture on the origins and development of his ideas.

• David K. Pugalee, assistant professor of teacher education, presented a paper at the annual conference of the Michigan Council of Teachers of English during their state conference in Lansing. The paper, titled “Writing: A Teaching and Learning Tool for Mathematics,” provided an overview of the importance of writing in the mathematics curriculum and included discussion of various techniques. Examples of student work provided a means of demonstrating the benefits of writing for both students and teachers.

• Bethany Rusch, public safety officer, will be delivering a crime prevention presentation to the Tri-City Ser on October 18. The Tri-City Ser advocates and provides employment and training opportunities for Hispanics and other low-income populations through vocational training, job training, literacy, family education, business and economic opportunities.

• Sally Shepardson, lecturer of biology, has been named "Educator of the Year" by the Saginaw County Farm Bureau. The award is for "outstanding accomplishments in agricultural education" and recognizes her efforts in the General Education course, Environmental Dynamics. Presentation of the award was on September 17 at the 60th Annual Meeting of the Saginaw County Farm Bureau.

Campus Happenings

• Humanities Lecture Series — 7:30 p.m., Tuesday, Oct. 8, Ruben Daniels Lifelong Learning Center. Local authors will present “An Evening with Saginaw Valley Poets.” Admission is free of charge. Call ext. 4475 for more information.

• Joan Rivers — 7:30 p.m., Tuesday, Oct. 8, Cardinal Gym. Admission for faculty and staff is $5. For more information, call ext. 4170.

• Entrepreneurs Club — 6 p.m., Wednesday, Oct. 9, Doan Center. Brian Moltor will discuss leadership. Reservations are $14 in advance, $16 at the door. Call ext. 4388 for information.

• Investing in Abilities Week Luncheon — 12 noon to 1:30 p.m., Monday, Oct. 14, Lower Level Doan Center. Featured speaker Al Swain will share insights on overcoming difficulties. Cost for lunch is $2.50. Make reservations by calling Craig Tatum at ext. 4397 or Cynthia Woiderski at ext. 4168.

• Humanities Lecture Series — 7:30 p.m., Tuesday, Oct. 15, Ruben Daniels Lifelong Learning Center. Robert R. Day will present “The Saginaw Brick Industry.” For more information, call ext. 4475.

• Investing in Abilities Week Forum — 12 noon, Wednesday, Oct. 16, Alumni Lounge. For more information, call ext. 4168 or 4397.

• Voices in the Valley — 7:30 p.m., Thursday, Oct. 17, Founders Hall. Readings by Al Hellus, Judy Kerman, John Palen and Skip Renker will be presented. For more information call ext. 4062.

• Valley Film Society — 8 p.m., Friday, Oct. 18, Marble Lecture Hall. The Mystery of Kaspar Hauser will be screened.

• Humanities Lecture Series — 7:30 p.m., Tuesday, Oct. 22, Ruben Daniels Lifelong Learning Center. William A. Lovis will discuss “Searching for the Saginaw Valley’s First Farmer.” Admission is free of charge. Call ext. 4475 for more information.

• Graduate School Day — 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Wednesday, Oct. 23, Brown Concourse. Faculty are asked to remind students that representatives from graduate schools in Michigan, including SVSU, will be on hand to distribute materials and answer questions.

In conjunction with the open enrollment period during the month of October, insurance representatives will be on campus from Blue Care Network, Blue Cross/Blue Shield, HealthPlus and MESSA to answer questions about their respective medical, dental and vision insurance programs.

Wednesday, October 16

9 a.m. to 12 noon, Brown Concourse

1:15 to 2:15 p.m., Administrative Services Building

2:30 to 4 p.m., Conference Room #2, CIESIN Building

For more information contact Alice Cornejo at ext. 5669.
1996 YMCA Community Corporate Challenge Results

The results are in for this year's competition. In Division II, there were 10 teams entered for competition. EDS took first place followed by Healthplus in second, and SVSU taking third overall. The following lists the events that SVSU placed in and our team players. Be sure to congratulate your fellow employees for representing SVSU and showing their team spirit!

**Banner - 4th place**
- Sara Clark
- Tammy Elliott
- Paul Kowalski
- Karen Selby
- Julianna Lemmer

**Team Cheer - 1st place**
- Merry Jo Brandimore
- Tammy Elliott
- Marie Rabideau
- Eric Buschlen
- Karen Selby

**Innertube Relay - 3rd place**
- Darlene Rademacher
- Jo Peterson
- Daryl Bernard
- Robert Braddock

**BasketBall Shoot**
- Jane Anderson
- Tammy Elliott
- Gene Hamilton
- Richard Thompson

**Volleyball - 2nd place**
- Patrick Pan
- Woody Pelton
- Mike Holliday
- Gabe Soto
- Al Menard
- Jane Anderson
- Darlene Rademacher
- Kay Harley
- Gladys Von Hoff

**Bike Race - 3rd place**
- Jo Peterson
- Nancy Samolewski
- Pat Samolewski
- Robert Braddock

**Obstacle Course**
- Daryl Bernard
- Darlene Rademacher
- Mike Nesbitt
- Karen Selby

**Crescendo Swim - 6th place**
- Karen Selby
- Daryl Bernard
- Jo Peterson
- Robert Braddock

**5K Walk**
- Pat Samolewski
- Nancy Samolewski
- Karen Selby
- Merry Jo Brandimore

**Golf - 1st place (3rd year in a row!)**
- Jerry Stuart
- Joe Vogl
- Joyce Payne
- Gabe Soto

**Bike Race - 3rd place**
- Jo Peterson
- Nancy Samolewski
- Pat Samolewski
- Robert Braddock

**400 Meter Relay - 3rd place**
- Mike & Deanna Nesbitt
- Darlene Rademacher
- Daryl Bernard

The YMCA is already gearing up for next year's competition and will be changing the format. Rather than having all the events on a September weekend, they'll be having monthly events between March and September. They will be adding new events like a Softball tournament and possibly a 4-on-4 Basketball tournament. More information will be announced in the future.
SVSU Foundation elects officers

The SVSU Foundation added three new members to its board of directors, reappointed two and elected officers at its September meeting. The Foundation supports fundraising and development efforts for SVSU.

New to the Foundation board are Janet M. Botz, Ernest E. Paulick and Robert N. Shuster. A.S. (Sarge) Harvey and Patricia Shaheen were reappointed as directors. Shuster is serving a one year term; other appointments are for four-year terms expiring in 2000.

Botz is manager of marketing communications for the Dow Corning Corporation. She is a graduate of SVSU. Paulick is executive vice president of Signature Bank-Bad Axe. He also is a member and past president of SVSU’s Board of Fellows, an advisory body. Shuster is chief executive officer of Mutual Savings Bank-Bay City.

Officers of the Foundation board for 1996-97 will be James L. Wolohan, president; Eric R. Gilbertson, first vice president; Jerome L. Yantz, second vice president; B.J. Humphreys, secretary; and Jerry A. Woodcock, treasurer.

Wolohan is chairman of the board, president and CEO of Wolohan Lumber Company. Yantz is a partner in the Bay City firm of Weinlander, Fitzhugh, Bertuleit & Schaire, P.C. Humphreys is a partner in Lippert & Humphreys, P.C.

SVSU social work program accreditation renewed

National accreditation of SVSU’s social work program has been renewed for an eight-year period. The reaccreditation by the Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) was announced by Ann Rae, chair of the social work department.

The continuing accreditation was received following a self-study report prepared by department personnel and a site visit by a CSWE team. SVSU’s social work program, which leads to the Bachelor of Social Work (B.S.W.) degree, first was certified by CSWE in 1983 and received reaccreditation in 1989.

The department is hosting a Thursday, Oct. 10 reception to celebrate the reaccreditation. Current students, alumni, faculty and staff are invited to attend the 5-7 p.m. event in Lower Level Doan Center. For more information about the reception or CSWE accreditation contact Rae at ext. 4077.

Graning, Rosier artwork to be displayed in University Art Gallery

The October 2-30 exhibit in the University Art Gallery will feature complimentary works by two artists. Paintings by Robert Rosier and Ken Graning express the theme, “Landscape: Defining the Environment.”

“Robert Rosier’s painting deals with landscape and people,” said Gallery Director Barron Hirsch. The Graning display also focuses on landscapes, but from a different perspective. “A painter and illustrator, Ken Graning has spent many years as an artist in the high pressure world of commercial design,” Hirsch said. “Landscape has become a major subject in his diverse portfolio and this exhibit will concentrate on his achievements in this area.”

An associate professor at Alma College, Rosier has served as chairperson of the art department and director of the Flora Kirsch Beck Gallery. He supervises the curatorial care of the permanent collection and is responsible for publishing the Pine River Anthology.

Now working in his own Bloomfield Hills studio, Graning has produced artwork for national clients including CBS Fox Videos, Ford Motor Company and General Motors. A graduate of the Chouinard Art Institute in Los Angeles, Graning learned to master both tradition realist styles and experimental expressionist techniques. He has taught illustration at Detroit’s Center for Creative Studies.

Have You Heard?

- Health Services thanks all those who donated blood on September 17. Fifty pints were drawn. The next blood drive is Wednesday, Nov. 13.
- Effective this week, SVSU no longer will accept collect calls. Due to inappropriate use of the collect calling privilege, it has been necessary to safeguard the phone system by blocking collect calls.

Across Campus

- The campus community sends best wishes for a complete and speedy recovery to Walt Head, baseball coach, who is being treated for heart trouble at St. Joseph’s Hospital, 302 Kensington, Flint 48503.
- Congratulations go out to Karen Hollenbeck, senior AIS programmer/analyst, and her husband, Michael, on the birth of Nicole Elizabeth (8 lbs., 7 oz., 21 in.) on September 20.

The SVSU Alumni Association presented its annual "Honorary Alumnus" Award to Frank N. Anderson at Saturday’s Alumni Afterglow in Ryder Center. Anderson, who was on hand for the presentation, received a plaque.
1996 Family Festival Day

Visiters to the SVSU campus for its annual Family Festival Day (FFD) on Saturday, Oct. 19 can step into the past through a variety of activities with a "Memory Lane" theme. The doors open at 9 a.m. with non-stop action throughout the day, concluding with a 7 p.m. concert.

From 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. the O’Neill Arena in Ryder Center will convert to a boulevard featuring vintage cars and tractors, antiques and more on display. FFD organizers also promise "olde tyme family fun: miniature golf, rope making, candy making, antique photos and the annual Cardinal Kids Carnival," all within the Arena. Admission is free, and photos at the Antique Photography Emporium cost only $5 with costumes and props provided.

Other events in the day-long festival include:

**Football Contest**
12 noon, Wickes Stadium
Ties the SVSU Cardinals against the College of St. Francis. Free admission with FFD nametag.

**Horse & Wagon Rides**
Noon to 4 p.m., Near Ryder Center
Letyou tour SVSU’s campus aboard a horse-pulled wagon. Get the view without the walk!

**Olde Fashioned Family Buffet Dinner Theatre**
5 p.m., Cardinal Gym
Includes fried chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy and other favorites for $6.50 at the door, $5 in advance. Children 10 and under eat for $3; reservations recommended.

**Whiskey Tango in Concert**
7 p.m., Cardinal Gym
Wraps up the day. On stages in the U.S. and Europe, Whiskey Tango has invited people into their extraordinary world of music... and left them dazzled, charmed and uplifted! Free admission with FFD nametag or ticket to Family Buffet Dinner Theatre; $3 public admission.

Other attractions include open recreation at the Ryder Center with varying hours, tours of the Marshall M. Fredericks Sculpture Gallery, shopping at the Bookstore and Cardinal Shoppe, and varsity competition in tennis, soccer and volleyball. Trolley transportation around campus is available all day.

Register from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the second level entrance to Ryder Center for an FFD nametag. For more information about the family festival, contact the Campus Life Center at ext. 4170.

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**High Five**

- **Football (4-0)**—defeated Ashland University 20-16 Saturday to hold onto their No. 7 national ranking in NCAA Division II. SVSU is at the University of Indianapolis this week.
- **Tennis**—SVSU’s No. 1 doubles team of Luz Siasoyo-Myer and Laura Rinn advanced to the finals at the Rolex Midwest Tennis Championships with two wins Saturday. The finals took place Sunday.
- **Cross Country**—competed at the prestigious 24th annual Lakefront Invitational, hosted by Loyola University at Lincoln Park Saturday. The No. 20th-ranked Cardinals finished sixth. SVSU’s top finisher was sophomore Jeff Cross, who was 89th with a time of 27:09 on the 8K course.
- **Volleyball**—lost to Ferris State University 3-1 Saturday in Big Rapids. After winning the first game 15-13, the Cardinals dropped three straight, 15-11, 15-12 and 15-3.